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Washington, DC  
20250

**\*\*\*NOTE: This Invitation is an Indefinite Delivery – Indefinite Quantity. Please read carefully\*\*\*\*\***

***No offers will be made to 8(a) vendors on this invitation.***

FV-300

Fruit and Vegetable Programs

Date Issued: May 24, 2007

Canned Fruit, Announcement FV-300, Invitation 171

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers subject to the terms and conditions of Announcement FV-300 and its Commodity Specifications, FV300-CS1, to sell canned fruits as indicated in the attached schedule under an Indefinite Delivery - Indefinite Quantity Contract, for distribution to needy family and other domestic assistance programs. For the period July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008, USDA guarantees to purchase a minimum of 162,000 cases and may purchase up to a maximum of 178,200 cases.

PRODUCT TYPE	PACK SIZE	MINIMUM QTY. (Case)	MAXIMUM QTY. (Case)
Canned Apricots	24/#300 can	162,000	178,200

Offers Due Date:

**NLT 2:00 P.M. Washington D.C. time,  
June 6, 2007**

Acceptance Date:

**NLT midnight, Washington D.C. time,  
June 28, 2007**

The following terms and conditions apply to this Invitation in addition to Announcement FV-300:

**I. INDEFINITE DELIVERY - INDEFINITE QUANTITY**

- A. This is an Indefinite Delivery - Indefinite Quantity contract for Canned Fruits and is effective for the period July 1, 2007 through June 30 2008, against which delivery orders will be placed. The value of product specified in the contract is the price agreed to for the contract period only.



- B. Delivery or performance shall be made only as authorized by delivery orders issued in accordance with the Ordering Clause of the contract (Section II). The contractor shall furnish to the USDA, when and if ordered, the products specified in the contract up to and including the quantity designated in the contract as the “**maximum.**” The USDA shall order at least the quantity of product designated in the contract as the “**minimum.**”
- C. There is no limit on the number of orders that may be issued.
- D. All deliveries must be made in accordance with the delivery periods specified in the delivery order issued by the Contracting Officer .

## II. ORDERING

- (1) The Contracting Officer will issue delivery orders to the contractor by mail or fax 30-90 days before the scheduled deliveries (6 periods) by line item numbers in whole truckload units, except that on the first six (6) delivery periods orders will be issued immediately following the contract award. Such orders may be issued from the effective date of the contract through the end of the effective period.
- (2) A delivery order is considered “issued” when deposited in the mail or sent by fax. Delivery orders will not be issued orally.
- (3) All orders are subject to the terms and conditions of this contract. In the event of conflict between a delivery order and the contract documents, the following order, in descending hierarchy, will prevail: the contract, delivery order, Invitation, Announcement, Specification, and the Federal Acquisition Regulations (FAR).
- (4) Once a delivery order is issued by the Contracting Officer, Notices to Deliver (ND’s) will be issued by the KCCO not later than 15 days prior to each delivery period.

## III. ACCEPTANCE OF OFFERS

Refer to Section III, page 14, of Announcement FV300.

## IV. MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM CONTRACT AMOUNTS

The USDA is obligated to order and the contractor is required to furnish the minimum quantity of 162,000 cases during the period September 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008. Total orders under this contract shall not exceed the maximum quantity of 178,200 cases during the contract period of July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008.

#### V. AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS FOR THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR

Funds are not presently available for contracts awarded for FY 2008. The Government's obligation for contracts issued is contingent upon appropriation of funds from which payment for contract purposes can be made. No legal liability on the part of the Government for any payment may arise until funds are made available to the Contracting Officer for these contracts and until the Contractor receives written notice of such availability from the Contracting Officer.

Attachment A is the list of destinations **within the state** and quantities USDA anticipates purchasing during the contract period. Delivery periods, destinations and quantities (case) may vary from time to time. **However, bidders are cautioned to bid on the state only as provided in Attachment B.**


All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.

All invitations with orders for the state of New York must have the pack date stamped on the outside of each carton. The pack date should be annotated as per the following example: (05/01/2003). Orders for the state of New York requiring the special markings will be indicated by (\*\*). This applies to New York orders "Only", if and when they appear on an invitation.

Offers submitted via **FAX must be sent** to the USDA-AMS-NTS Communications Center at facsimile number **202-205-1979 (24 hours)**. For confirmation of receipt, please call **202-720-2104**.

Inquiries about Announcement FV-300, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Canned Fruit dated April 2004, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0239, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20250-9410, telephone (202) 720-4517. An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained through the

World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.



Michelle Warren  
Contracting Officer

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**Attachment A  
(Estimates Only)**

**Split shipments are indicated by a single asterisk.**

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV300  
 INVITATION : 171  
 COMM GROUP : 30 FRUIT, CANNED  
 COMM TYPE : 13 APRICOTS, HALVES, UNPLD, CND  
 PACK SIZE : 24 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 07/01/07 - 07/15/07				
001	BUFFALO	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620**
002	HAUPPAUGE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620**
003	ATLANTA	GA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
004	LEXINGTON	KY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
005	LOUISVILLE	KY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
006	INDIANAPOLIS	IN	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
007	DETROIT	MI		1,620
008	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
009	DELHI	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
010	OPELOUSAS	LA		1,620
011	GALLUP	NM	TRUCK ONLY	3,240
012	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
013	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
014	RAPID CITY	SD	TRUCK ONLY	735
	SIOUX FALLS	SD	TRUCK ONLY	885
015	SIOUX FALLS	SD		1,620
016	GARDEN GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620

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DELIVERY PERIOD 07/01/07 - 07/15/07				
017	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
DELIVERY PERIOD 07/16/07 - 07/31/07				
018	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
019	FARGO	ND	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
DELIVERY PERIOD 08/01/07 - 08/15/07				
020	BOSTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	1,215
	LOWELL	MA	TRUCK ONLY	405
021	HATFIELD	MA	TRUCK ONLY	810
	SHREWSBURY	MA	TRUCK ONLY	810
022	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620**
023	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
024	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
DELIVERY PERIOD 08/16/07 - 08/31/07				
025	MAPLEWOOD	MN	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
026	GALLUP	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
027	DES MOINES	IA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620

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DELIVERY PERIOD 09/01/07 - 09/15/07

028	BUFFALO	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620**
029	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620**
030	HOMESTEAD	FL	TRUCK ONLY	935
	MIAMI	FL	TRUCK ONLY	685
031	ORLANDO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	1,020
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		600
032	JACKSONVILLE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	667
	LAKELAND	FL	TRUCK ONLY	467
	PACE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	486
033	DETROIT	MI		1,620
034	GALLUP	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
035	BRIDGETON	MO	TRUCK ONLY	405
	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,215
036	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
037	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
038	GARDEN GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620

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DELIVERY PERIOD 09/16/07 - 09/30/07

039	MIAMI	FL	TRUCK ONLY	676
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		944

DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/07 - 10/15/07

040	BOSTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
041	DELAWARE CITY	DE	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
042	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
043	MAPLEWOOD	MN	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
044	LOGAN	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
045	RAPID CITY	SD	TRUCK ONLY	735
	SIOUX FALLS	SD	TRUCK ONLY	885

DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/07 - 11/15/07

046	CARO	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810
	CLARE	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810
047	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,200
	FARMINGTON	NM	TRUCK ONLY	420
048	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620

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DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/07 - 11/30/07				
049	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620**
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/07 - 12/15/07				
050	BOSTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	810
	SHREWSBURY	MA	TRUCK ONLY	810
051	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620**
052	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	3,240
053	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,215
	COAL TOWNSHIP	PA	TRUCK ONLY	405
054	COAL TOWNSHIP	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
055	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	3,240
056	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	810
	WILKES-BARRE	PA	TRUCK ONLY	810
057	HOMESTEAD	FL	TRUCK ONLY	935
	MIAMI	FL	TRUCK ONLY	685
058	JACKSONVILLE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	667
	LAKELAND	FL	TRUCK ONLY	467
	PACE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	486
059	ORLANDO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	1,020
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		600
060	DETROIT	MI		1,620
061	DES MOINES	IA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620

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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/07 - 12/31/07

062	MIAMI	FL	TRUCK ONLY	676
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		944

063	SIOUX FALLS	SD		1,620
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DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/08 - 01/15/08

064	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
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065	HELENA	MT	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
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066	LAS VEGAS	NV	TRUCK ONLY	940*
	RENO	NV	TRUCK ONLY	680

DELIVERY PERIOD 02/01/08 - 02/15/08

067	DETROIT	MI		1,620
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068	MAPLEWOOD	MN	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
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069	GALLUP	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
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070	GARDEN GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
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DELIVERY PERIOD 03/01/08 - 03/15/08

071	CADILLAC	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810
	OSSINEKE	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810

072	DETROIT	MI		405
	FLINT	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810
	NORWAY	MI	TRUCK ONLY	405

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DELIVERY PERIOD 03/01/08 - 03/15/08				
073	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
074	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
075	SAN FRANCISCO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
076	LAS VEGAS	NV	TRUCK ONLY	940*
	RENO	NV	TRUCK ONLY	680
DELIVERY PERIOD 03/16/08 - 03/31/08				
077	HATFIELD	MA	TRUCK ONLY	810
	SHREWSBURY	MA	TRUCK ONLY	810
078	BOSTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	1,215
	LOWELL	MA	TRUCK ONLY	405
079	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620**
080	LOUISVILLE	KY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
DELIVERY PERIOD 04/01/08 - 04/15/08				
081	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620**
082	DELAWARE CITY	DE	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
083	HOMESTEAD	FL	TRUCK ONLY	935
	MIAMI	FL	TRUCK ONLY	685
084	JACKSONVILLE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	667
	LAKELAND	FL	TRUCK ONLY	467

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DELIVERY PERIOD 04/01/08 - 04/15/08				
	PACE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	486
085	ORLANDO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	1,020
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		600
086	OPELOUSAS	LA		1,620
DELIVERY PERIOD 04/16/08 - 04/30/08				
087	MIAMI	FL	TRUCK ONLY	676
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		944
088	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
DELIVERY PERIOD 05/01/08 - 05/15/08				
089	JACKSON	MS	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
090	DETROIT	MI		1,620
091	DELHI	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
092	SAN DIEGO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620
DELIVERY PERIOD 06/01/08 - 06/15/08				
093	BOSTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	810
	SHREWSBURY	MA	TRUCK ONLY	810
094	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620**
095	JACKSONVILLE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	667
	LAKELAND	FL	TRUCK ONLY	467
	PACE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	486

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096	HOMESTEAD	FL	TRUCK ONLY	935
	MIAMI	FL	TRUCK ONLY	685
097	ORLANDO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	1,020
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		600
098	INDIANAPOLIS	IN	TRUCK ONLY	3,240
099	GALLUP	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620

DELIVERY PERIOD 06/16/08 - 06/30/08

100	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620**
101	MIAMI	FL	TRUCK ONLY	676
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		944

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 170,100

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 170,100

## Attachment B

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NY	_____	Minimum - 17,820	Maximum - 19,440
GA	_____	Minimum - 1,620	Maximum - 1,620
KY	_____	Minimum - 4,860	Maximum - 4,860
IN	_____	Minimum - 4,860	Maximum - 4,860
MI	_____	Minimum - 12,960	Maximum - 14,580
LA	_____	Minimum - 9,720	Maximum - 11,340
NM	_____	Minimum - 11,340	Maximum - 12,960
MO	_____	Minimum - 17,820	Maximum - 19,440
SD	_____	Minimum - 6,480	Maximum - 6,480
CA	_____	Minimum - 9,720	Maximum - 11,340
ND	_____	Minimum - 1,620	Maximum - 1,620
MA	_____	Minimum - 11,340	Maximum - 12,960
IL	_____	Minimum - 3,240	Maximum - 3,240
MN	_____	Minimum - 4,860	Maximum - 4,860
IA	_____	Minimum - 3,240	Maximum - 3,240
FL	_____	Minimum - 24,300	Maximum - 27,540

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DE	_____	Minimum - 3,240	Maximum - 3,240
OH	_____	Minimum - 1,620	Maximum - 1,620
PA	_____	Minimum - 11,340	Maximum - 12,960
MT	_____	Minimum - 1,620	Maximum - 1,620
NV	_____	Minimum - 3,240	Maximum - 3,240
MS	_____	Minimum - 1,620	Maximum - 1,620